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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the office action dated June 19, 2002, amendment and reconsideration of the above application is requested.

Claims:

Please cancel the claims 2, 3, 4 and 5.

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